

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry propaganda piece days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation. There can be no question that this "documentary" is not news at all. The producer, writers, and actors all have strong direct ties to the republican party. So does the owner and most of the directors of the sinclair group. When the political machines control the media and are free to air whatever propoganda they please, the very foundations of our country are in danger. Media consolidation and corporate ownership of the government through unbridled lobbying and a myriad of revolving doors have left us on the brink of fascism. It must stop now before we lose all that is dear to us.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard. I challenge YOU, as a patriotic American like me, to take action NOW before it is too late.

Most sincerely,  
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